FOREST DEPARTMENT

OFFICE OF THE DISRICT FOREST OFFICER, SHIMOGA DIVISION, SHIMOGA.

Notification dated 28th December 1962.

Sealed tenders duly signed by the contractors will be received for the following works to be executed in the Revenue Plantation, Shimoga, in Shimoga-Honnali Road, during 1962–63, by the District Forest Officer, Shimoga Division, Shimoga or by any other Officer deputed for the purpose at the District Forest Office, Shimoga up to 4 P.M. according to this office clock on 15th January 1963.

Unit of the tender	Particulars of work	Estimated cost including the cost of the wooden materials which will be supplied departmentally.	E. M. D. to be furnished through remitted challan.
		Rs. nP.	Rs. nP.
1	Construction of a shed for work shop at I. W. I., Shimoga.	8,700—00	220—00
2	Construction of a lorry shed at I. W. I., Shimoga.	12,400—00	320—00

CONDITIONS.

1 Construction of the above works should be completed before March 1963, wooden materials required for the above buildings will be supplied Departmentally free of cost.

2 Tenders shall be superscribed as 'Tender for constructing (1) Workshop shed and lorry shed at Integrated Wood Industries, Shimoga, and shall be accompanied by an earnest money deposit noted above for each unit through remitted challan and a certificate of solvency issued by the Tahsildar of the Taluk in which the tenderer is a resident and up to date Sales-tax and Income-tax clearance, certificates.

Note:—(a) Requests for appropriation of deposits previously paid to for adjustment of any amount due to him by the Department shall not be entertained.

(b) Tenders should be in the prescribed form only which can be had from this office on payment of Rs. 5 per form for each unit.

(c) The tenders should be put in the tender box kept for the purpose in this office within time fixed.

(d) Tenders will not be received in person unless sent by Registered Post. Tender received after the time fixed will not be considered.

3 Tenders received without deposits and the required certificates are liable to be rejected.

4 (a) The tenderer should quote rates for each individual item of works in the estimates both in figures and in words in the form given below :

Description of work	Unit of work	Rate per unit

(b) No cheques will be accepted towards tender deposit.

(c) No conditional clause will be accepted.

5 The rates to be quoted should be inclusive of sales-tax, Octori-tax and any other taxes prevaling in the area and should be in terms of rupees and naye paise.

6 The successful contractor shall bind himself to abide by the Departmental rules in force and shall execute the necessary agreement within a week from the date of receipt of information of acceptance of his tender failing which his earnest money will be forfeited and the work will be retendered at the risk and expense of the original successful tenderer or the work got done through another agency at his risk in either case the defaulting tenderer is liable to make good any extra expenditure over and above the accepted rates that Government may have to incur. It is also recoverable as an item of arrear of Land Revenue under Section 79 of M. F. Act.

7 The final acceptance of the tender rates rests with the competant authority, who does not bind himself to accept the lowest of any other tenderers or to assign any reason whatsoever for the rejection of any.

8 The Plan, estimates and other particulars relating to the works will be available in the Office of the District Forest Officer, Shimoga between 10–30 A.M. to 6–00 P.M. on all working days.

9 The earnest money deposit of the unsuccessful tenderer is refundable after acceptance of the tender by competent authority or after two months from the date of receipt of tender whichever earlier.

10 For lumpsum provisions and for items not provided in the estimate the rate will be paid as per current P.W.D., Shimoga Division schedule of rates. For items of works not found in such schedule of rates, the rates as per approved data will be paid.

11 The rates quoted shall hold good if the tender is accepted within six months from the date of tender and shall thereafter be binding till the execution of the entire work before March 1963.

12 (a) The successful tenderer shall furnish a security deposit to the extent mentioned below at the time of execution of agreement.

	Amount of contract	Deposit
1	Up to Rs. 10,000 ...	10 per cent.
2	,, Rs. 10,001 to 25,000 ...	7 per cent subject to a minimum of 1,000.
3	,, Rs. 25,001 to 50,000 ...	5 per cent subject or Rs. 2,000 minimum.
4	,, Rs. 50,001 to 1,00,000	3 per cent subject to a minimum of 2,500.
5	,, Over one lakh ...	2 per cent subject to a minimum of 3,000.

The tender deposit is returnable after the agreement is executed and work taken up.

13 The contractor must make his own arrangements for conveying other materials.

N.B.—The wooden materials will be delivered at site by the Department.

14 Tender contractors have to pay compansation to the disabled workmen working under them for any injury or death caused or occured during the execution of his work failing which the amount will be deducted from the bills and paid to the injured or to the legal heirs of the deceased.

15 The contractor will have to make his own arrangements for water required for the work, scaffolding materials conveying of materials and approach road to quarry. No extra amount will be paid for any of the above items.

16 If the works are not completed and handed over within the specified time and if the contractor fails to abide by the terms of the contract at any time during the currency thereof if the District Forest Officer, has any reason to believe that the contractor's work is not satisfactory, the District Forest Officer, may arrange for the work being done through some other agency forfeiting his security deposit and cancelling the contract. The original contractor shall also be liable to make good to the department any loss by extra expenditure etc., which arises therefrom. Such amounts will be recoverable as arrears of Land Revenue.

17 The successful contractor shall execute any extra work over the sanctioned quantity at his tender rates, and any deviation ordered by the District Forest Officer, he shall be paid the minimum schedule rates of the year.

18 The contract should not be sublet or otherwise, the tender will be cancelled and the earnest money forfeited.

19 The term specification mentioned in the schedule or in the estimate in the notified forms would mean specific item of work to be done according to the instructions of the Department, with reference to design, calculation, etc., furnished during execution and no higher rates than tendered ones will be paid.

20 The contractor shall make use of any plant and machinery that may, in the interest of speedy execution of the work, be necessary to be made use of. If any Departmental tools and plants are required and if supplied departmentally, hire charges at the rates fixed by the District Forest Officer shall be recoverable from the Contractor.

21 No correspondence will be entered into regarding acceptance or rejection of any of the tenders.

22 The discretion of the sanctioning authority shall be final and legally binding on contractors on all matters of disagreement in respect of the work.

23 The tender should be submitted in duplicate. Only the lowest rates in the two copies will be adopted in the event of there being difference in the rates mentioned.

24 In the event of failure to complete the said works, *i.e.*, works before the stipulated times, a fine of Rs. 200·00 may be levied on the contractor for each subsequent months, at the discretion of the District Forest Officer, Shimoga.

25 Extension of time to complete the work will not generally be granted. However, the Conservator of Forests, Shimoga Circle, Shimoga, may, at his discretion grant extension of time which is not binding.

26 Payment will be made after the work is check-measured, by the District Forest Officer, Shimoga, or any other Gazetted Officer deputed by him for the purpose.

27 Other conditions may be obtained in the Office during office hours on all working days.

S. C. THIPPESWAMY,
District Forest Officer.

OFFICE OF THE DISTRICT FOREST OFFICER, SHIMOGA DIVISION, SHIMOGA.

Tender Notification dated 25th December 1962.

No. B. 42-192/62 Sealed tenders are invited by the District Forest Officer, Shimoga Division, Shimoga, for execution of the following Works upto 4 P.M, on 15th January 1963, as per this office clock, under the following conditions: —

1 (*a*) Each tender should be addressed to District Forest Officer, Shimoga Division, Shimoga, in sealed cover and superscribed as "tenders for Roads and other Works" and must be accompanied with the earnest money deposit as detailed in the Schedule through remitted challan along with Sale-tax and Income-tax clearance certificates. Requests for adjustment of deposits previously paid will not be entertained. The tender should be put in the tender box kept for the purpose in this office within the prescribed date and hour fixed. No tenders will be received after the time fixed is over or in person excepting those received by Registered post. Tenders received without deposits or certificates or other than the prescribed form are liabile to be rejected.

(b) The tender should be in the form prescribed by the District Forest Officer, which can be had from the District Forest Officer, Shimoga Division, Shimoga, on payment of Rs. 5 per form.

(c) Conditional and telegraphic tenders will not be entertained.

(d) The successful tenderer have to produce original Sales-tax and Income-tax certificates at the time of Execution of agreement.

(e) Separate tender should be offered for each unit of tender as noted in the schedule.

2 Rate should be quoted at 'so much per unit of work' against each item as per tender form and should include royalty, octroi, Sales-tax or any other charges that may be levied. Rate should be in terms of rupees and naye Paise and written in words and figures. All corrections and over writings should be attested.

3 The final acceptance of the tender rests with the Conservator of Forests, Shimoga Circle, Shimoga, who does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any other tender or to assign any reasons for the rejection of any tender in part or in full.

4 The Earnest Money Deposit of unsuccessful tenderer will be refunded after the final orders by competent authority.

5 The successful tenderer will be required to execute an agreement on stamp paper of proper value embodying all the conditions of the contract within a week from the date of receipt of intimation of the acceptance of the tender after furnishing security deposit as per rules in the shape of Government Savings Bank Account duly pledged in favour of District Forest Officer, Shimoga and commence work immediately after obtnining orders from the District Forest Officer. In the event of failure to execute the agreement within the prescribed time noted above the earnest money deposit shall be forfeited and the work will be re-tendered at the risk and expense of the original successful tenderer or the work got done through another agency at his risk in either case the defaulting tenderer is liable to make good any extra expenditure over and above the accepted rates that Government may have to incur. It is also recoverable as an item of arrear of Land Revenue under section 79 of M. F. Act.

Sale of security deposit.

upto 10,000—at 10 per cent of contract amount.
from 10,001 to 25,000—7 per cent of subject to minimum of Rs. 1,000 00
from 25,0001—to 50 000—5 percent of subject to minimum of Rs. 2,000 00
from 50,001 to 10 000—3 per cent of subject to minimum of Rs. 2,500 00
Exceeding Rs. 10,000—2 per cent subject to minimum of Rs. 3,000 00

The work should be completed before the end of the specified period as shown against each work in the schedule. In respect of Hanagere—Settihalli Road work, collection of granite bounders and jelly should be completed before the end of March 1 63 giving monthly progress of work to the satisfaction of the District Forest Officer.

7 Extension of time to complete the work will not generally be granted. However, the Conservator of Forests, Shimoga, may at his discretion grant extension of time which is not binding.

8 The successful tenderers should work as per instructions of the Range Forest Officer concerned and bind himself to all the Departmental rules. He should carry out works as per instruction of the Range Forest Officer, payment will be made after the work is checked, measured by the District Forest Officer, Shimoga.

9 The contractors should make their own arrangements for collection and conveying materials to the conveyance yard.

10 The boulders supplied should strictly conform to the sizes specified in the schedule and should be of pure hard blue granite, free from any quartz, flakes, soft materials or topskin. Also it should be properly graded and cubical and free from dust or earth or topskin. All materials not conforming to the specifications will be rejected at the risk and cost of the contractor or in very exceptional cases may be paid for if partially acceptable at such reduced rate or with such deductions in quantities as the District Forest Officer may think fit.

11 The tenderer or tenderers must give delivery of granite boulders Jelly at the road side in Hanagere Settihalli road and the same should be stacked to standard heaps at the places that may be shown by the undersigned or by the Range Forest Officer, Shankar Range. The usual percentage of deduction for voids in vouge in the public works Department will be made out of the quantity measured. The royalty will be deducted from the value of the supply calculated at the existing seigniorage rates if removed from State Forest and at the prescribed Public Work Department rates if removed outside State Forest.

12 Tender contractors have to pay compensation to the disabled workmen working under them for any injury or death caused or occurred during the execution of these works, failing which the amount will be deducted from the bills and paid to the injured or to the legal heirs of the deceased.

13 If the works are not completed within the specified time and if the contractor fails to abide by the terms of the contract at any time during the currency thereof or if the District Forest Officer has any reason to believe that the contractors work is not satisfactory, the District Forest Officer may arrange for the work being done through some other agency forfeiting his security deposit and